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Presentations planned for Ka Leo O Kaua'i meeting in Kekaha

KEKAHA – Two special presentations are scheduled for tomorrow's Ka Leo O Kaua'i meeting at the Kekaha Neighborhood Center, from 7 to 9 pm.

Representatives from Ho'ola Lahui Hawai'i will go on first and will talk about healthcare services available through their organization.

Immediately afterward, a presentation on how to prevent property crimes will be made by Prosecuting Attorney Craig DeCosta, deputy prosecuting attorney Yvonne Vieau and Mitchell Tabera, an inspector with the U.S. Postal Service.

According to DeCosta, there has been a significant increase in felony property offenses on Kaua'i in recent years due to the use of methamphetamine.

"In order to combat property crime on Kaua'i, I believe that educating the community about prevention and the necessity of their involvement in the criminal justice system is critical," said DeCosta. "Our office applauds the efforts of residents who are willing to be involved in taking on this fight."

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